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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Sandro PASQUALI Examiner B. PRIETO Serial No. 09/276,016 Group Art Unit 2142 Filed: March 25, 1999 RECEIVED For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR BUILDING AND EXECUTING A JAN 2 1 2004 NAVIGATION INSTRUCTION VIA CORRESPONDING SENTENCE Technology Center 2100

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 15, 2003, the Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the above-captioned patent application in view of the following:

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Notice of Appeal:

The Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision mailed July 15, 2003, wherein the Examiner rejects claims 26-43.

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Conclusion:

The Applicant respectfully submits that the above-captioned patent application is in condition for allowance, and such disposition is earnestly submitted. If the Examiner believes that an interview with the Applicant's representatives, either in person or by telephone, would expedite the prosecution of the above-captioned patent application, we would welcome such an opportunity. Please charge the requisite small entity fee of \$165 for the filing of a Notice of Appeal and any other fees associated with this paper to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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